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IMAGERY INFORMATION REPORT

AFT WEAPONS SYSTEM ON THE KARA CG UNIT 4,
NIKOLAYEV, USSR (TSR)

(TSR) The aft weapons system on the KARA guided missile cruiser (CG) unit 4 appeared to be externally complete when seen [redacted] of Nikolayev Shipyard Northern 61 Kommuna 445, USSR. This system comprised a new radar and a deckhouse with six weapons positions.

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(TSR) The new radar consisted of a light-toned convex parabolic radome attached to a truncated, cone-shaped base. The diameter of the radome was 4.0 meters, [redacted]. The distance from the apex of the radome to the cone-shaped base [redacted] the [redacted]. The height from the top of the radome to the main deck was approximately [redacted]. The radar was mounted on a pedestal which rested on a circular platform.

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(TSR) The six weapons positions aft of this new radar were in a deckhouse that was [redacted]. Each of the six positions was capped [redacted] environmental covering.

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(TSR) [redacted] the KARA CG unit 4 had left its berthing position at the shipyard.

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